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Receipt of the following papers is acknowledged:

1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal (37 CFR 1.53(b))
2. Patent Office Fee Transmittal Form [in duplicate]
3. Specification comprising 90 pages, including claims and abstract
4. 18 sheets drawings (A4P, Figs. 1-20)
5. executed Declaration and Power of Attorney
6. Recordation Form Cover Sheet, and Assignment
7. Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, and five references
8. Claim of Priority Under 35 USC 119, and certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-129105
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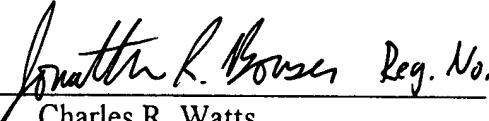
- a. a full or partial English language translation submitted herewith,
- b. a foreign patent office search report (in the English language) submitted herewith,
- c. the concise explanation contained in the specification of the present application at pages 1 and 4,
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